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TWENTY-THIRD YEAR

EARLINGTON, HOPKINS COUNTY, KY., FRIDAY, MAY 24, 1912

No. 42

## Entries

### For Mammoth

#### Cave Trip

The following young ladies from Hopkins County have entered the Mammoth Cave contest ending the last week in August and their standing is as follows:

#### EARLINGTON

|                              |      |
|------------------------------|------|
| Ruth Daniels.....            | 1025 |
| Miss Mary Parker.....        | 1000 |
| Lockye Grace.....            | 1000 |
| Mable Browning.....          | 1000 |
| Kathleen Spillman.....       | 1000 |
| Susan Marie Crutchfield..... | 1000 |
| Margaret Mitchell.....       | 1000 |
| Pansy Rule.....              | 1000 |
| Zilpah Moorehead.....        | 1000 |
| Ruby Sisk.....               | 1000 |
| Elizabeth Long.....          | 1000 |
| Goldie Salmon.....           | 1000 |
| Connie Feawick.....          | 1000 |
| Kathleen Corey.....          | 1000 |
| Catherine Blair.....         | 1000 |
| Artie Favors.....            | 1000 |
| Effie Stokes.....            | 1000 |
| Bardie Jennings.....         | 1000 |
| Virgie Kilroy.....           | 1000 |
| Mary Blair.....              | 1000 |
| Mary Cobb.....               | 1000 |
| Aloise O'Bryan.....          | 1000 |
| Mary Hewley.....             | 1000 |
| Ida Martin.....              | 1000 |
| Ruth Wyatt.....              | 1000 |
| Hazel Griffin.....           | 1000 |
| Margaret Victory.....        | 1000 |

#### MADISONVILLE

|                          |      |
|--------------------------|------|
| Amanda Wilson.....       | 1000 |
| Amelia Coll.....         | 1000 |
| Josephine Clark.....     | 1000 |
| Mary Louise Walker.....  | 1000 |
| Mary Arden Jennings..... | 1000 |
| Laura Bell Rudd.....     | 1000 |
| Elizabeth Bassett.....   | 1000 |
| Verda Oates.....         | 1000 |
| Sarah Hayes.....         | 1000 |
| Dixie Montgomery.....    | 1000 |
| Gertrude Overall.....    | 1000 |
| Elizabeth Nisbet.....    | 1000 |
| Louise McPherson.....    | 1000 |
| Margaret Ross.....       | 1000 |
| Eva Bell.....            | 1000 |
| Edna Morgan.....         | 1000 |
| Lena McGary.....         | 1000 |
| Nannie Anderson.....     | 1000 |
| Eetha Morrow.....        | 1000 |
| Lena Pritchett.....      | 1000 |
| Georgia Morton.....      | 1000 |
| Francis Elgin.....       | 1000 |
| Lora Lee Todd.....       | 1000 |
| Gertrude Black.....      | 1000 |

#### MORTONS GAP

|                      |      |
|----------------------|------|
| Edna Peyton.....     | 1000 |
| Artie Lovan.....     | 1000 |
| Myrtle May Sisk..... | 1000 |
| Sibyl O'Bryant.....  | 1000 |
| Ruth McCraw.....     | 1000 |
| Myrtle Martin.....   | 1000 |
| Rollie Laffoon.....  | 1000 |

#### NORTONVILLE

|                        |      |
|------------------------|------|
| Fannie Trathen.....    | 1000 |
| Annie Marl Morgan..... | 1000 |

#### ST. CHARLES

|                     |      |
|---------------------|------|
| Nell Robinson.....  | 1000 |
| Maude Jenkins.....  | 1000 |
| Laura Woodruff..... | 1000 |
| Verna Galloway..... | 1000 |
| Dixie Woodruff..... | 1000 |
| Mona Faulls.....    | 1000 |

|                     |      |
|---------------------|------|
| Verna Long.....     | 1000 |
| Myrtle Kennett..... | 1000 |

HANSON

|                       |      |
|-----------------------|------|
| Agnes Parish.....     | 1000 |
| Pet Bailey.....       | 1000 |
| Emma Ashby.....       | 1000 |
| Mattie Rudd.....      | 1000 |
| Ruth Jones.....       | 1000 |
| Johanna Brown.....    | 1000 |
| Katherine Slaton..... | 1000 |
| Jessie Lee Hayes..... | 1000 |
| Pet Ashby.....        | 1000 |
| Goldie Ashby.....     | 1000 |

### "AVIATION CIRCUS" IS THE VERY LATEST

To be Held at Evansville Under Auspices of The Courier June 6, 7 and 8

An Aviation Circus is to be held in Evansville June 6, 7 and 8, under the direction of the Evansville Courier, which gave the first exhibition of flying in this part of the world last year. The Courier announces the greatest flyers in the country for this meet. One of them is Lincoln Beachey, whose feat of flying over the bridge at Niagara Falls astonished the world. He has been called the death-defying dare devil of the air. Another is Farnum Fish, the youngest licensed airship pilot in the world.

The Courier also announces it will engage the services of a famous band for the occasion.

One of the features to interest the crowd will be a balloon ascension and parachute drops daily. Other attractions of the various days will be as follows:

Thursday—Automobile contest.  
Friday—Motorcycle races.  
Saturday—Field and track Athletics.

The Aviation Circus will be held at the fair grounds, and promises to be the greatest exhibition of flying ever held in this part of the country. The gates open at 2 o'clock and the exhibition commences at three, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, June 6, 7 and 8.

#### Mystic Eleven Picnic

The girls of the Mystic Eleven who are always in for a good time planned at their last meeting to give a picnic supper on "Oakmoor" lawn last Friday evening as a parting frolic for Misses Goldie Weir and Katie Murrell two of their number who soon leave for their homes. To add to the pleasure of the occasion the young men were invited.

At the appointed time the young folks met at seven o'clock, owing to the coolness of the evening the lunch was spread in the dining room on the table, picnic fashion, and a most toothsome lunch it was, of delicious sandwiches, dressed eggs, salads, olives and pickles, strawberry ice cream and cake, which all seemed to relish. The club colors, yellow and white, was carried out in the refreshments very prettily. Music and social mingling completed the evening.

#### Helps a Judge in Bad Fix

Justice Eli Cherry, of Gillis Mills, Tenn., was plainly worried. A bad sore on his leg had baffled several doctors and long resisted all remedies. "I thought it was a cancer," he wrote. "At last I used Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and was completely cured." Cures burns, boils, ulcers, cuts, bruises and piles. 25c. at All Druggists.

## THE BEE'S ANNUAL TRIP TO MAMMOTH CAVE

Will Take Place the Last Week in August---Via Evansville and Green River

EXACT DATE TO BE ANNOUNCED LATER

The Semi-Weekly Bee will send seven young ladies from Hopkins County to the Mammoth Cave by way of Evansville and Green River the last week in August and pay all expenses of the trip from the time they leave Earlington until they return one week later. Last August we took thirty-five and sent five free. This year we have arranged to send seven free and take fifty in the party. The steamer "City of Evansville" will belong to the Semi-Weekly Bee's party on this trip and we expect to have a grand time. There is no other way in which a week of travel and sight seeing can be had so comfortably and at the same time so cheap as a four hundred mile trip on beautiful Green River with the magnificent scenery along the route; to say nothing of the Cave, one of the seven wonders of the World with its immense grottoes, and domes, the giant causeway, the ruins of Carnack and the wonderful ride on Echo river, are well worth the time and trouble it will take to secure this free trip.

#### HOW THE TRIP MAY BE SECURED

To the seven young ladies who are residents of Hopkins County and who receive the highest number of votes from now until the close of the contest in August given for securing subscribers for this paper new or renew we will give this trip absolutely free and furnish a suitable chaperone to take charge of them and look after their comfort and safety while on the trip.

Each contestant will be started with 1000 complimentary votes and for each dollar turned in on subscription we will allow 1000 votes.

There will be printed in each issue of the paper a coupon good for 25 votes, clip these out and vote them before the date of expiration printed on each coupon.

#### NOMINATING COUPON

The following is a nominating coupon, write the name of your candidate on this blank and bring or send it to this office and we will start the candidate with 1000 complimentary votes. As soon as you have nominated a young lady go to work for her and keep it up until the end of the contest.

### NOMINATING COUPON

I hereby enter Miss.....

Post Office.....

as a contestant in the Semi-Weekly Bee's Mammoth Cave Contest.

Please give her 1000 complimentary votes.

Signed.....

#### HOW CONTEST WILL BE CONDUCTED

This contest will be conducted absolutely fair and impartial and the standing of all contestants will be published each Friday, the votes will be placed in a small ballot box until Friday's at 12 o'clock when they will be counted and registered opposite each parties name, they will then be placed in the large or final ballot box which is locked and the key in the vault of the Earlington Bank where it will stay until the final count is made by a committee selected by the contestants themselves. All contestants will be provided with receipt books and all the extra copies of the paper they need. They will be authorized to use the Bee's premium list namely the two books, "Sinking of the Titanic" and "The Vulture's Claw" also the Patent Tension Shears, any of the three go for fifty cents extra with the paper and contestants will be allowed 500 votes on each premium used.

#### RULES OF THE CONTEST

The following rules will not be deviated from and under no circumstances will the amount of votes be raised during the contest.

RULE 1.—No votes will be given except for money paid on subscriptions or premiums with subscriptions.

RULE 2.—No votes will be issued except for cash, 1000 for each dollar paid on subscription and 500 on each premium.

RULE 3.—No employee of this paper or relative of same shall enter this contest.

RULE 4.—All free ballots clipped from paper must be voted before date of expiration.

RULE 5.—Contestants will not be restricted as to territory in securing or collecting back subscriptions.

RULE 6.—All money secured on subscription must be turned in the week it is received so paper may be started. Contestants may hold their votes if they wish but must not hold back subscription money.

RULE 7.—This paper reserves the right to reject the name of any candidate for cause.

RULE 8.—Votes are not transferable and must be voted for the party in whose name they are issued.

The contest begins with this issue of the paper and will end the last week in August the exact date to be announced later. Anyone wishing to make this trip with the contestants can do so by sending in their names to this office where they will be filed. The cost of the entire trip including railroad fare from Earlington to Evansville and return, the four hundred mile river trip from Evansville to Mammoth Cave and return, board at the Cave hotel, both routes in the cave and the transfer of baggage in Evansville going and returning and dinner in Evansville going will cost only \$20.00. Send in your name early as the boat people not allow us to take more than fifty on the trip.

#### Decoration Day Will be

Observed at St. Charles

The good people of St. Charles will observe Decoration Day Sunday with appropriate memorial services at the Christian Privilege Church. An interesting programme has been arranged and a large crowd is expected to be present. Christian Privilege is one of the oldest churches in this county and a large number of the pioneer settlers and their families lie buried in the cemetery near the church.

#### Knights and Ladies of Security

Pay Death Claims Quickly

In less than two weeks after the proof of his death was sent in by the Knights and Ladies of Security Lodge of Madisonville, the family of Joseph Hollowell received a check for \$952.55, the full amount of the claim. Although this is one of the youngest fraternal orders in this part of the country it is the most prompt in the settlements of death claims.

## CONSOLIDATION

The livery stables known as Evans, Price & Barnett and C. E. Barnett, formerly Barnett & Stone, have this day consolidated and will open a new set of books. All persons indebted to or having claims against them will please call and have a settlement.

Style of new firm will be known as

## BARNETT & CO.

May 23, 1912.

### School Notes

#### Parent's Day

The last Parent's Day and Pupils Reception for the present school year, was observed by the Earlington Graded School last Friday May 17. The attendance was greater than that of any previous meeting enrolling more than 125 visitors. The parents were a unit in their praise for the character of the work done in the various grades, stating that the progress of the year was very marked.

The exhibition work in the various grades consisted of regular school work, drawing, music and etc. Manual Training in the various grades was very much in evidence, offering many unique designs, such as, tables and book cases in wood, various designs in paper and cardboard mounting, hand made garments, embroidery, darning, weaving and etc. And last but not least, Domestic Science.

The rooms were beautifully decorated and a most delightful, social feature was enjoyed by all.

At 2:30 o'clock the large and appreciative audience assembled in the capacious chapel, where the following program was rendered:

Music—School Chorus.

Invocation—Rev. Brandon.

Address—Rev. Brazleton.

Remarks by Mrs. Corey, Mrs. Arnold, Miss Mothershead, D. M. Evans and Rev. Brandon.

The remarks by the ladies were full of good will and cheer. Mr. Evans and Rev. Brandon emphasized Earlington's great need of a voted, graded school.

After adjournment from the Auditorium, all present were delightfully served with refreshments in the office, by the young ladies of Eight Grade and High School. All the young men and women who assisted in this work deserve great credit for their enthusiasm and unselfish assistance.

Through these meetings a great enthusiasm is being aroused for public school work.

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Among the out of town visitors to Parent's Day were J. H. Jones, Mortons Gap; N. W. Miller, Campbellsville, Ky., Miss Morton, Madisonville, Ky.

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While an excellence for attendance has been made by many pupils during that of the past year, that of Herman, Ernest, Ethel, Clifton and

Estella Boyd, children of Boyd, who have not been absent a single day during the past year, we feel that this deserves special mention.

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The following pupils who have not been absent a single day the past year.

#### GRADE I.

Estella Boyd

Virgie Lee Veasey

#### GRADE II.

Clifton Boyd

Gilbert Carroll

Herman Howell

Edward Mogheheimer

Pauline Qualls

#### GRADE III.

Eula Lee Todd

#### GRADE IV.

Bertha Vaught

#### GRADE V.

Janie Blackwell

Edward Brown

Ernest Boyd

Ethel Boyd

Lily May Craig

Roy Stinebaugh

Lella May Todd

#### GRADE VI.

Anna B. Corey

Lena Davis

Jimmie Dee Emberton

Sam Grace

Lacie Martin

Laura Parker

Ethel Peyton

Dorothy Willis

#### GRADE VII.

Herman Boyd

Flora Lipscomb

Iley Snapp

Thelma Patterson

#### GRADE VIII.

Rex Hamby

#### HIGH SCHOOL

Mary Brown

Clive Cobb

Elizabeth Corey

Margaret Dudley

Willie Lee Craig

Now is the time to get rid of your rheumatism. You can do it by applying Chamberlain's Liniment and massaging the parts freely at each application. For sale by All Dealers.

#### Will Build Warehouse

W. H. Whitford, the hardware man of this city, will begin the erection of a warehouse on his lot back of his house, in a short time. Mr. Whitford finds that he has not sufficient room in his business house for storing farming implements, other machinery and fertilizers.

## Section 5 Article 15

Of the Ordinances and By-Laws of the City of Earlington, Ky., Reads as Follows:

If any person shall shoot or discharge firearms in the city, unless necessary or proper for the protection of person or property, he shall be fined not exceeding twenty dollars.

FRANK D. RASH, Mayor.

Attest:

PAUL P. PRICE, City Clerk.

## ROYAL BAKING POWDER

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Entered at the Earlington Post Office as Second Class Matter.

Friday, May 24, 1912

## Madisonville Notes

**Alumni Banquet at Willard Hotel**  
The Alumni association, of this city, gave a most elaborate banquet Monday evening, at the Willard Hotel in honor of the seventeen graduates, of nineteen and twelve, just after the Commencement Exercises, which were held at the tabernacle.

The Banquet hall was transformed into a floral arrangement of loveliness being profusely decorated in quantities, of cut flowers, potted plants and ferns. The class colors, red and white, being carried out in all the decorations. The tables were decorated in roses, red and white carnations and ferns, and at each place were arranged the place-cards tied with red ribbon, to a carnation of red and white alternatively.

The exquisite souvenir menu folders had on the cover page gold French baskets filled with red roses and were tied with red and white silk cord. In this souvenir book was the menu for the banquet and the names of the graduates of 1912.

During the entire affair most entrancing music was furnished by Mrs. D. H. Kinchloe and Miss Bernice Wimberly.

Mr. G. D. Collins toastmaster for the occasion introduced several very interesting speakers, the following toasts being responded to: Miss Eileen Gold "The President's Annual Message."

Miss Sarah Hayes, "The Joy of Living."

Mr. A. E. Arnold, "One Year's Observation."

Fay Townes, "The New Horizon." Impromptu speeches were responded to by the following:

L. R. Ray, "An Alumni Brother-in-law."

R. B. Rubins, "Parting Advice."

D. Utley, "A Dream."

Lucian Ruby, "A Sudden Awakening."

The cut flowers were furnished by the Pleasant View Green House and the decorating done by its artist.

The success, of the banquet, was due solely to Mrs. Gates, who managed the entire affair being the only member, of the Hotel Co., in the city at that time. This one decidedly surpassing given in past years.

The banqueters included besides the graduates of 1912, the members of the Alumni association, their escorts and the teachers, of the High school covers being laid for about 100 in all.

### Invitations Issued For Bridge

Mrs. John L. Grayot has issued invitation for "Bridge" Saturday afternoon at the Madison Hotel in honor of Miss Lil Cecil of Danville Ky. and Miss Florence Allyn of Madisonville.

Judge J. F. Gordon and Mrs. Gordon returned home Wednesday night from Rochester Minn. where Mrs. Gordon has been for treatment.

Mrs. C. A. Morton of this city and Miss Florence Walker, of Henderson will leave June 1 for Canada Seattle, and Spokane to be the guest of their sister Mrs. Thiton for six weeks.

Miss Lucy Fawcett and Miss Lurline Coil, of this city, will leave Saturday for Lexington to be the guest of Miss Hazel Fawcett at State College.

Why not spend an enjoyable afternoon while in Madisonville by attending the "Princess Theatre" on Center Street. Best films shown at this Theatre. Fine program changed daily.

### Will Enter New Quarters

Geo. King & Sons have rented the corner store that has been occupied by the Monarch Pool Room and are having a new glass front put in, the flooring relaid and improvements made. When completed this will be a much nicer and more convenient stand than the one they now occupy. The Monarch Pool Room and Pressing Club will be moved into the building formerly occupied by King & Sons' Drug Store.

## Dr. Lucian Grace DENTIST

Office in Victory Building

Office Hours  
8:30 A. M.—8:30 P. M.

## Miss Minerva and William Green Hill



By  
ANCES BOYD CALHOUN

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"I'll give you five peewees if you'll lemme tech 'em so's I can get 'em," pleaded the younger boy.

Billy hesitated. "You mighty little—" he began.

"And my stoney," said the other child eagerly.

"If you was a ol' boy," said Billy, "it wouldn't make no difference; I don't want to make yo' ma mad an' Aunt Minerva say for me to keep 'way f'om you any how, though I didn't make her no promises."

Jimmy grew angry.

"You're the stingiest Peter they is, William Hill," he cried; "won't let nobody tech your old mups. My cousin in Memphis 's got the measles; you just wait till I git 'em."

Billy eyed him critically.

"If you was ol—" he was beginning.

Jimmy thought he saw signs of his yielding.

"And I'll give you my china egg, too," he quickly proposed.

"Well, jest one tech," agreed Billy; "an' I ain't agoin' to be 'sponsible neither," and he poked out a swollen jaw for Jimmy to touch.

Ikey Rosenstein at this moment was spied by the two little boys as he was walking jauntily by the gate.

"You better keep 'way f'om here, Goose-Grease," Jimmy yelled at him; "you better get on the other side the street. Billy here 's got the mumps an' he lemme tech 'em so's I can get 'em, so's my papa and mama 'il lemme do just perfectly like I want to; but you're a Jew and Jews ain't got no business to have the mumps, so you better get 'way. I paid Billy 'bout a million dollars' worth to lemme tech his mumps," he said proudly. "Get 'way; you can't have 'em."

Ikey had promptly stopped at the gate.

"What'll you take, Billy, to lemme get 'em?" he asked, his commercial spirit at once aroused.

"What'll you gimme?" asked he of the salable commodity, with an eye to a bargain.

Ikey pulled out a piece of twine and a blue glass bead from his pocket and offered them to the child with the mumps. These received a contemptuous rejection.

"You can do perzactly like you please when you got the mumps," insinuated Jimmy, who had seemingly allied himself with Billy as a partner in business; "grown folks bound to do what little boys want 'em to when you got the mumps."

Ikey increased his bid by the stub of a lead pencil, but it was not until he had parted with his most cherished pocket possessions that he was at last allowed to place a gentle finger on the protuberant cheek.

Two little girls with their baby-buggies were seen approaching.

"G'way from here, Frances, you and Lina," howled Jimmy. "Don't you come in here; me and Billy 's got the mumps and you-all 'r little girls and ought n' to have 'em. Don't you come near us; they 're ketching."

The two little girls immediately opened the gate, crossed the yard, and stood in front of Billy. They inspected him with admiration; he bore their critical survey with affected unconcern and indifference, as befitted one who had attained such prominence.

"Don't tech 'em," he commanded, waving them off as he leaned gracefully against the fence.

"I teched 'em," boasted the younger boy. "What'll you all give us if we 'il let you put your finger on 'em?"

"I ain't a-goin' to charge little girls nothin'," said the gallant Billy, as he proffered his swollen jaw to each in turn.

A little darkey riding a big black horse was galloping by; Jimmy hailed and halted him.

"You better go fast," he shrieked. "Me and Billy and Frances and Lina's got the mumps and you ain't got no business to have 'em 'cause you 're a nigger, and you better take your horse to the libry stable 'cause he might ketch 'em, too."

The negro boy dismounted and hitched the horse to the fence. "I gotter little tarrapim—" he began insinuatingly.

And thus it came to pass that there was an epidemic of mumps in the little town of Covington, and William Green Hill grew rich in marbles, in tops, in strings, in tads, in chewing gum, and in many other things which comprise the pocket treasures of little boys.

### CHAPTER XXIII.

#### The Infant Mind Shoots.

Miss Minerva had bought a book for Billy entitled "Stories of Great and Good Men," which she frequently read to him for his education and improvement. These stories related the principal events in the lives of the heroes, but never mentioned any names, always asking at the end, "Can you tell me who this man was?"

Her nephew heard the stories so

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## HOUSE FOR SALE

Earlington real estate is booming. Quite a number of sales have been made recently. It is certainly both a safe and profitable investment. There are never enough houses here to accommodate the people. That means all the houses stay full. No rent lost from vacancies. The interest on your investment from rent is large. Now, then, if you want to get in on a good thing, either for a renting proposition or for your own home, now is your chance. Beautiful 10 room house (2 families can and do occupy) in splendid residence section, in good repair, for sale cheap. Apply at Bee office for particulars.

### HERE AT HOME

Earlington Citizens Gladly Testify, and Confidently Recommend Doan's Kidney Pills.

It is testimony like the following that has placed Doan's Kidney Pills so far above competitors. When people right here at home raise their voice in praise there is no room left for doubt. Read the public statement of an Earlington citizen:

Perry McCulley, Earlington, Ky., says: "You are at liberty to continue using my endorsement of Doan's Kidney Pills as heretofore. Whenever I have had occasion to use them I have been benefited. I feel that I am doing nothing more than my duty in publicly recommending this preparation. Doan's Kidney Pills restored my kidneys to their normal condition, regulated the kidney action and removed the pains in my back, in fact improved my health. I obtained this remedy at the St. Bernard Mining Co., and have certainly been pleased with the results of its use."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's and take no other.

Stiff neck is not only painful but annoying. To get rid of it quickly rub the affected part with BAL-LARD'S SNOW LINIMENT. It penetrates the flesh and relaxes the muscles so that the pain ceases immediately. Price 25c. 50c. and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by St. Bernard Mining Co., Incorporated, Drug Department.

### COLORED COLUMN.

REV. J. R. EVANS, EDITOR

Remember that Mothers' Day will be observed at the Mt. Zion Baptist Church next Sunday, May 26, at 11:00 a. m. Rev. Evans will preach a sermon on Mother. Let every one who wishes to celebrate the sacred name of mother, dead or alive, wear a white flower of some kind.

Prof. Bell and family spent Sunday at Hopkinsville, the occasion being the Baccalaureate Sermon preached by Dr. C. H. Clark, of Nashville, Tenn., at the closing of the M. & F. College.

Mrs. E. M. Smith and children passed through Earlington from Evansville enroute to Columbia, Tenn., to join her husband, who is pastor of one of the Baptist Churches of that city.

Mrs. Della Edmonson and Mrs. Robert Booker are on the sick list this week.

### Enjoyable Dance Friday Night

Quite an enjoyable dance was given at the Armory Friday evening, May 17. The out-of-town guests were Miss Hattie Vaughn of Sebree, Messrs. Barnett, L. & N. paymaster, Smith, his clerk, of Nashville, Dr. A. Z. Durham, of Crofton and Paul Livingston, of Madisonville.

Every one enjoyed the dance, as it was the first one in a long while.

Simpson and Ray furnished the music.

### Work on Streets Progressing

Work on the streets of this city is being pushed, and good progress is being made. When this work is finished there will be a vast improvement in the streets of our city.

### I. C. R. R. TIME CARD.

Time of departure of Illinois Central trains from Nortonville, Ky.

#### NORTH BOUND.

No. 102..... 1.28 p. m.  
No. 104..... 3.40 a. m.  
No. 122, local pass. 10.45 a. m.  
No. 135, local..... 6.38 p. m.

#### SOUTH BOUND.

No. 101..... 4.08 p. m.  
No. 103..... 1.48 a. m.  
No. 121, local pass. 1.28 p. m.  
No. 136, local pass. 5.53 a. m.

### L. & N. TIME CARD.

Time of arrival of trains passing through and departure of trains originating at Earlington. Effective Sunday, April 9, 1911.

#### NORTH BOUND.

No. 92..... 6.25 a. m.  
No. 52..... 11.15 a. m.  
No. 94..... 7.23 p. m.  
No. 54..... 11.22 p. m.

#### SOUTH BOUND.

No. 53..... 4.30 a. m.  
No. 95..... 8.23 a. m.  
No. 51..... 4.21 p. m.  
No. 93..... 10.48 p. m.

### INTERURBAN TRAINS.

#### NORTH BOUND.

No. 104..... 7.52 a. m.  
No. 108..... 10.55 a. m.  
No. 108..... 2.00 p. m.  
No. 110..... 5.02 p. m.

#### SOUTH BOUND.

No. 103..... 7.10 a. m.  
No. 105..... 10.00 a. m.  
No. 107..... 12.57 p. m.  
No. 109..... 3.20 p. m.  
No. 111..... 6.10 p. m.

### M. H. & E. TIME CARD.

M. H. & E. time card went into effect Sunday, April 9, 1911.  
No. 112 leaves..... 5:45 a. m.  
No. 113 arrives..... 8:30 p. m.

## OUR NEW PROCESS

Non-Explosive Oil Stoves and Ranges

In hot weather there is nothing more exhausting and unpleasant than to bend over the sweltering heat of a cook stove in preparing the daily meals. This unpleasant duty can be avoided by using our New Process Oil Stoves, smokeless and odorless. It is not only a great labor saver but saves time, money and worry. Ask the people who are now using our New Process Oil Stoves if it is not a pleasure to cook on them. No coal to bring in, no kindling to split, no smoking flues, no stifling heat. You simply turn up the wick and strike the match and the work is done. We have the New Process for \$8.50 to \$11.50.

W. H. WHITFORD

# Before Allowing an Operation

## Please Read These Two Letters.

The following letter from Mrs. Orville Rock will prove how unwise it is for women to submit to the dangers of a surgical operation when it may be avoided by taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. She was four weeks in the hospital and came home suffering worse than before. Then after all that suffering Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound restored her health.

### HERE IS HER OWN STATEMENT.

Paw Paw, Mich.—"Two years ago I suffered very severely with a displacement—I could not be on my feet for a long time. My physician treated me for several months without much relief, and at last sent me to Ann Arbor for an operation. I was there four weeks and came home suffering worse than before. My mother advised me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and I did. To-day I am well and strong and do all my own housework. I owe my health to Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and advise every woman who is afflicted with any female complaint to try it."—Mrs. ORVILLE ROCK, R. R. No. 5, Paw Paw, Mich.

### "THERE NEVER WAS A WORSE CASE."

Rockport, Ind.—"There never was a worse case of women's ills than mine, and I cannot begin to tell you what I suffered. For over two years I was not able to do anything. I was in bed for a month and the doctor said nothing but an operation would cure me. My father suggested Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound; so to please him I took it, and I improved wonderfully, so I am able to travel, ride horseback, take long rides and never feel any ill effects from it. I can only ask other suffering women to give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial before submitting to an operation."—Mrs. MARGARET MEREDITH, R. F. D. No. 3, Rockport, Ind.

We will pay a handsome reward to any person who will prove to us that these letters are not genuine and truthful—or that either of these women were paid in any way for their testimonials, or that the original letter from each did not come to us entirely unsolicited.

For 30 years Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has been the standard remedy for female ills. No one sick with woman's ailments does justice to herself who will not try this famous medicine, made from roots and herbs, it has restored so many suffering women to health.

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Will never reap a crop of dollars  
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### News of the Town

Charlie Trahern spent Sunday in Hoptown.

Miss Hattie Vaughan, of Sebree, is the guest of Miss Margret Mitchell this week.

Our big sale of watches and jewelry closes the 25 inst. \$1.00 down holds any article.

HOLLINGER & TRUEMPY, Jewelers.

Miss Mable Browning, Kathleen Spillman, Susan Marie Crutchfield, Mr. Kirby O'Bannon and Omar Wyatt were in Madisonville Sunday.

Wall paper, window shades and picture frames at SISK BROS. BOOK STORE, Madisonville, Ky.

Welby Pritchett and Sory Rodgers of Madisonville, were in town Sunday.

FOR SALE—One \$100 course in anything except civil engineering, from International Correspondence School of Scranton Pa. Will sell at a bargain. Apply at Bee Office.

Mrs. M. Hanna, Jr., who has been quite ill for a week is able to be up. Mrs. Howard J. Brazelton and Howard, Jr., are visiting her sister in Morganfield during Mr. Brazelton's absence in the meeting at Henderson.

Miss Julia Springfield of Madisonville was in town Tuesday.

If you want to buy a house, come to the Bee office and hear about it. Ten rooms in splendid location. In good condition.

Miss Jessie Greer attended the graduating exercises at Madisonville Tuesday night.

Miss Elizabeth Victory attended the graduating exercises at Madisonville Tuesday night.

This is the last week of the big watch and jewelry sale.

HOLLINGER & TRUEMPY, H. H. Vaughan, of Henderson, was in town Sunday.

J. W. Springfield, of Madisonville, was in town Tuesday.

Mr. Devney, of Evansville, was in town Monday.

See us for graduation gifts.

HOLLINGER & TRUEMPY, Jewelers. Marc Goldnamer of Princeton, was in Madisonville Monday night attending the commencement exercises.

STOVE FOR SALE—Second hand heater for parlor or bed room cheap a bargain apply at the Bee.

We regret to hear that Miss Langley is leaving us in a short time. She will have charge of a picture theatre in Sullivan, Ind. After her departure Mr. Herrell will have charge of the Idle Hour Theatre here. Mr. Herrell wishes to announce that business will be transacted in the future the same as in past. Mr. Herrell leaves Sunday for his home in Rockport, returning to Evansville Monday and thence he will arrive here on No. 51 Monday evening.

We will make shades to fit your windows and frames to fit your pictures. Send us your order. SISK BROS. BOOK STORE, Madisonville, Ky.

Ben F. Moss and wife, of Bisbee, Ariz., are visiting relatives and friends here and at other points in the county.

Strayed or stolen on the 9 day of May from the Bob Kelle place near the old No. 11 mines one little bay mare branded on the right thigh and branded on the left four shoulder, a little white spot in fore head black main and tail. And any one that could give any information of her where abouts will be libelally rewarded address Euell Lamb Earlington, Ky.

Duncan & Guest will open an insurance office in the Victory building June 1st. J. B. Guest will have charge of the office.

Watches and jewelry at cost this week only.

HOLLINGER & TRUEMPY, Jewelers.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Owen, a fine boy.

Miss Kathleen Spillman was in Madisonville Monday night attending the graduating exercises

White and gold imported China in open stock and also in hundred piece dinner sets at SISK BROS. BOOK STORE, Madisonville, Ky.

### COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES

Of Earlington Graded School at Temple Theatre, Tuesday, May 28 at 8:30 P. M.

### PROGRAM

Part I.—Eighth Grade Promotion.

1.—Music—Orchestra.

(a)—Oh You Beautiful Doll.

(b)—The Oceana Roll.

2.—Invocation—Rev. Brandon.

3.—Music—Violin Solo, Berceuse from Jocelyn, Godard, Miss Florence Elgin, Louisville, Ky.

Accompanist—Miss Camille Lckay, Pembroke, Ky.

4.—Address—Rev. D. M. Harrison, Madisonville, Ky.

5.—Presentation Certificates of Promotion.

Mr. Paul M. Moore, Trustee.

6.—Music—Vocal Duet, Sing Me To Sleep, Misses Willis and Weir.

### Part II.

Declamatory Contest.

1.—Orchestra.

(a)—The Skeleton Rag.

(b)—You'll Do the Same Thing Over Again.

(a)—Frances S. McElpatrick, "Mr. Trover's First Hunt."

(b)—Margaret Marilla Dudley, "The Bear Story."

(c)—Margaret Ragland Atkinson, "The Light on Dead Man's Bar."

(d)—Elizabeth Kathleen Long, "A Voice From a Far Country"

2.—Music—Violin Solo, Humoreske, Dvorak, Miss Elgin.

(e)—Mary Elizabeth Brown—"The Legend of Brecken."

(f)—Pansy Irene Myers—"Poor House Nan."

(g)—Frances Fern Stokes—"The Vagabonds."

(h)—Mary Elizabeth Corey—"Lasca."

Orchestra—Honeysuckle.

The Orchestra for the occasion is composed of Messrs:

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Jewell Webb

It would surprise you to know of the great good that is being done by Chamberlain's Tablets. Darius Downey, of Newberg Junction, N. B., writes, "My wife has been using Chamberlain's Tablets and finds them very effectual and doing her lot of good." If you have any trouble with your stomach or bowels give them a trial. For Sale by All Dealers.

### Church Notes

Madisonville Christian Church  
S. M. Bernard Minister.  
You are invited to following services May 26  
9:30 a. m. Bible School. Chas. Franklin, Supt.  
10:40 a. m. Lord's Supper.  
11:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Preaching by S. M. Bernard. Subject of morning discourse, "The Blunders of Naaman." Subject of evening discourse, "The Town Gossip's influence."

Christian Church  
Sunday School 9:30 a. m. The pulpit will be filled by James Vernon, of Henderson, whom Howard J. Brazelton is assisting in a meeting.

Morning service 11:00 o'clock. The night services will be held at 8:00 o'clock until further notice.



Hon. J. M. Stevenson, of Winchester, Ky., who has announced for the office of Chairman of the Democratic State Central and Executive Committee, to be chosen at the state convention on the 29th of May. He is a Square-Deal Democrat.

John R. Staton, Joyce, Ky., had an exceptionally severe attack of whooping cough. He says: "If it had not been for Foley's Honey and Tar Compound I would have been compelled to quit work. Instead, I never missed a day, and Foley's Honey and Tar Compound gave me instant relief and is the only cough medicine we ever use." Contains no opiates. Sold by St. Bernard Mining Co. Incorporated, Drug Department.

Services at the M. E. Church south next Sunday at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. by the pastor, Morning subject "God's Grace in Man's Salvation." Evening subject "Apostolic Generosity."

Sunday School at 9:30 a. m. Come and join. We are having new additions every Sunday.

In the evening service the Odd Fellows lodge, will be present in a body. We are always glad to have them.

Call see our celebrated new ice Refrigerator. They save ice bills. Prices range from \$11 to 12.

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Insist on Thedford's

### Livery Stables Consolidated

The two livery firms, Evans, Price & Barnett and Chas. Bar-Barnett have consolidated and the new firm will be Barnett & Co. These gentlemen propose to do a general livery feed and undertaking business and ask a fair share of your patronage.

J. W. Jordan, a well known dentist of Hopkinsville, Ky., recently had an operation for his kidney trouble, but he says: "The first real relief I got was after taking Foley's Kidney Pills. They eased the terrible pain in my back and accomplished more good than anything I had tried. I gladly recommend them." Sold by St. Bernard Mining Co. Incorporated Drug Department.

### Ben T. Robinson to Build

Ben T. Robinson, the well known and prosperous druggist of Mortons Gap, has decided to erect a handsome two-story business house where the modest wooden building now stands. The old house is being moved back and work on the new building will begin in a short time.

### The Demons of The Swamp

are mosquitos. As they sting they put deadly malaria germs in the blood. Then follow the chills and the fires of fever. The appetite flies and the strength fails; also malaria often paves the way to deadly typhoid. But Electric Bitters kill and gas out the malaria germs from the blood; give you a pure appetite and renew your strength. "After long suffering," wrote Wm. Fretwell, of Lucama, N. C., "three bottles drove all the malaria from my system, and I've had good health ever since." Best for all stomach liver and kidney ills. 50c. at All Druggists.

Brown Bros. to Open Restaurant in Howell

Brown Bros., of this city, will open a restaurant in Howell, Ind., in addition to the one they are operating in this city. Frank Withers and wife will have charge of the Howell restaurant and will move there in a short time.

A child can't get strong and robust while intestinal worms eat away its vitality. To give the child a chance to grow these parasites must be destroyed and expelled. WHITE'S CREAM VERMIFUGE is guaranteed to remove the worms; it also puts the vital organs in healthy, vigorous condition. Price 25 cents per bottle. Sold by St. Bernard Mining Co., Incorporated, Drug Department.

Thomas Stone Buys Interest in Livery Barn

Thomas Stone, of this city, has purchased a half interest in the Crow & Southard livery barn at Madisonville and will move his family to Madisonville in a short time. The style of the firm will be Crow & Stone.

### Escapes an Awful Fate

A thousand tongues could not express the gratitude of Mrs. J. E. Cox, of Joliet, Ill., for her wonderful deliverance from an awful fate. "Typhoid pneumonia had left me with a dreadful cough," she writes. "Sometimes I had such awful coughing spells I thought I would die. I could get no help from doctor's treatment or other medicines till I used Dr. King's New Discovery. But I owe my life to this wonderful remedy for I scarcely cough at all now." Quick and safe, its most reliable of all throat and lung medicines. Every bottle guaranteed. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free at All Druggists.

## PRINCESS SPECIAL!

This Popular Photo Play Theatre is now under new management and it's management guarantees its patrons high class entertainments.

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We are again running the "Worlds Best Pictures." You know what that means. "Lubins," "Biograph," "Kalems," "Essany," "Pathe," "Selig" and "Vitagraph."

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### Gone to Paducah

Geo. C. Atkinson, of this city and Ben M. Slaton, of Madisonville, left today for Paducah, Ky., to appoint all committees and make arrangements for the Shrine to be held there on June 20. On this date there will be a class of 25 or 40 to cross the burning sands. A special train will be run from Nortonville over the I. C. Further announcement will be made later.

Heavy, impure blood makes a muddy, pimply complexion, headaches, nausea, indigestion. Thin blood makes you weak, pale and sickly. For pure blood, sound digestion, use Burdock Blood Bitters. \$1.00 at all Stores.

### More Real Estate Changes

Real estate in this city is still changing hands and still climbing in value. This week C. E. Brinkley purchased the house from O. C. McKenzie on Sebree ave. Miss Mollie Whalen sold a cottage to W. H. Adcock and one to Jno. McAfee. All of the property brought a good price. There are several other deals to be pulled off shortly. The laying of concrete pavements will also add to the value of property here.

"Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil is the best remedy for that often fatal disease—croup. It has been used with success in our family for eight years."—Mrs. D. Whiteacre, —Buffalo, N. Y.

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Friday and Saturday  
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WE ARE OFFERING SOME VERY ATTRACTIVE BARGAINS THIS WEEK. DON'T FAIL TO PAY US A VISIT, AS WE CAN SAVE YOU MONEY

### Ready-to-Wear Specials

We have left on hand at present about twenty-five Suits in Misses' Ladies and Stouts, the season's latest novelties, comprising English Serges, Whip-Cords and Mixtures, to close out at the following low prices:

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### Extra Special

20 dozen Ladies' Gowns, Lace and Embroidery Trimmed, Slip-Over and Button Front styles, made of best quality Nainsook, regular \$1.50 value. Friday and Saturday Special \$1.16

One lot of Junior Wash Dresses, good range of styles, limited quantity, at ONE-FOURTH OFF.

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Men's light weight 2-piece Summer Suits.....\$10.00 to \$15.00  
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Soft Shirts with detached collars for men and boys.....50c to \$2.50  
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B. V. D. Union Suits, short sleeves, knee length.....\$1.00 to \$2.00  
Men's and Boys' Union Suits.....25c and 50c  
Men's and Boys' Separate Garments in Balbriggan.....25c and 50c  
B. V. D. Separate Garments, each.....50c  
Men's Pure Silk and Lisle Sox pair.....25c and 50c  
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| 27x54 Size, each..... | 75c    |
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| 54x90 Size, each..... | \$2.50 |
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## The Bee's Mammoth Cave Contest

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## MISS MINERVA AND WILLIAM GREEN HILL

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often that he had some expression or incident by which he could identify each, without paying much attention while she was reading.

He and his aunt had just settled themselves on the porch for a reading. Jimmy was on his own porch cutting up funny capers, and making faces for the other child's amusement.

"Lemme go over to Jimmy's, Aunt Minerva," pleaded her nephew, "an' you can read to me tonight. I'd a heap rather not hear you read right now. It'll make my belly ache."

Miss Minerva looked at him severely.

"William," she enjoined, "don't you want to be a smart man when you grow up?"

"Yes, 'm," he replied, without much enthusiasm. "Well, jes' lemme ask Jimmy to come over here an' set on the other side you whiles' you read. He ain't never hear 'bout them tales, an' s'pec' he'd like to come."

"Very well," replied his flattered and gratified relative, "call him over."

Billy went to the fence, where he signaled Jimmy to meet him.

"Aunt Minerva say you come over an' listen to her read some er the pretties' tales you ever hear," he said, as if conferring a great favor.

"Now, stirree-bob!" was the impolite response across the fence, "them 'bout the measliest tales they is. I'll come if she'll read my Uncle Remus book."

"Please come on," begged Billy, dropping the patronizing manner that he had assumed, in hope of inducing his nephew to share his martyrdom. "You know Aunt Minerva'd die in her tracks 'fore she'd read Uncle Remus. You'll like these here tales 'nother might better anyway. I'll give you my money if you'll come."

"Now, you ain't going to get me in no such box as that. If she'd just read seven or eight hours I would n't mind; but she'll get you where she wants you and read 'bout a million hours. I know Miss Minerva."

Billy's aunt was growing impatient. "Come, William," she called. "I am waiting for you."

Jimmy went back to his own porch and the other boy joined his kinswoman.

"Why wouldn't Jimmy come?" she asked.

"He—he ain't feeling very well," was the considerate rejoinder.

"Once there was a little boy" who was born in Virginia—" began Miss Minerva.

"Born in a manger," repeated the snattative little boy to himself, "I knows who that was." So, this important question settled in his mind, he gave himself up to the full enjoyment of his chum and to the giving and receiving secret signals, the pleasure of which was decidedly enhanced by the fear of imminent detection.

"Father, I cannot tell a lie, I did it with my little hatchet—" read the thin, monotonous voice at his elbow.

Billy laughed aloud—at that minute Jimmy was standing on his head waving two chubby feet in the air.

"William," said his aunt reprovingly, peering at him over her spectacles, "I don't see anything to laugh at,"—and she did not, but then she was in ignorance of the little conspiracy.

"He was a good and dutiful son and he studied his lessons so well that when he was only seventeen years old he was employed to survey vast tracts of land in Virginia."

Miss Minerva emphasized every word, hoping thus to impress her nephew. But he was so busy keeping one eye on her and one on the little boy on the other porch, that he did not have time to use his ears at all and so did not hear one word.

"Leaving his camp fires burning to deceive the enemy, he stole around by a circuitous route, fell upon the British and captured."

Billy held up his hands to catch a ball which Jimmy made believe to throw.

Miss Minerva still read on, unconscious of her nephew's inattention: "The suffering at Valley Forge had been intense during the winter—"



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Billy made a pretense behind his aunt's upright back of throwing a ball while the other child held up two fat little hands to receive it. Again he laughed aloud as Jimmy spat on his hands and ground the imaginary ball into his hip.

She looked at him sternly over her glasses:

"What makes you so silly?" she inquired, and without waiting for a reply went on with her reading; she was nearing the close now and she read carefully and deliberately.

"And he was chosen the first president of the United States—"

Billy put his hands to his ears and wriggled his fingers at Jimmy, who promptly returned the compliment.

"He had no children of his own, so he is called the Father of his Country."

Miss Minerva closed the book, turned to the little boy at her side, and asked:

"Who was this great and good man, William?"

"Jesus," was his ready answer, in an appropriately solemn little voice.

"Why, William Green Hill?" she exclaimed in disgust. "What are you thinking of? I don't believe you heard one word that I read."

Billy was puzzled; he was sure she had said "Born in a manger." "I didn't hear her say nothin' 'bout bulrushes," he thought, "so 't ain't Moses; she didn't say 'log cabin,' so 't ain't Abraham Lincoln; she didn't say 'Thirty cents look down upon you,' so 't ain't Napoleon. I sho' wish I'd paid 'tention."

"Jesus!" his aunt was saying, "born in Virginia and first president of the United States!"

"George Washington, I aimed to say," triumphantly screamed the little boy, who had received his cue.

## CHAPTER XXIV.

### A Flaw in the Title.

"Come on over!" invited Jimmy. "All right; I believe I will," responded Billy, running to the fence. His aunt's peremptory voice arrested his footsteps.

"William, come here!" she called from the porch.

He reluctantly retraced his steps. "I am going back to the kitchen to bake a cake and I want you to promise me not to leave the yard."

"Lemme jes' go over to Jimmy's a little while," he begged.

"No; you and Jimmy can not be trusted together; you are sure to get into mischief, and his mother and I have decided to keep the fence between you for a while. Now, promise me that you will stay right in my yard."

Billy solemnly gave her the promise and she went back to her baking.

"That 's always the way now," he said, meeting his little neighbor at the fence, "ever since Aunt Minerva got onto this here promise' business, I don't have no freedom 't all. It 's 'William, promise me this, an' it 's 'William, don't forget yo' promise now,' tell I 's jes' plumb sick 'n tired of it. She know I ain't goin' back on my word an' she jes' nachedly gits the 'vantage of me; she 'bout the hardest 'oman to manage I ever seen since I 's born."

"I can nearly all time make my mama do anything 'most if I jus' keep on trying and keep on a-begging," bragged the other boy; "I just say 'May I, mama?' and she 'll all time say, 'No, go 'way from me and lemme 'tione,' and I just keep on, 'May I mama? May I, mama? May I, mama?' and torekely she 'll say, 'Yes, go on and lemme read in peace.'"

"Aunt Minerva won't give in much," said Billy. "When she say 'No, William,' 't ain't no use 't all to beg her; you jest wastin' yo' breath. When she put her foot down it got to go just like she say; she sho' do like to have her own way better 'n any 'oman I ever see."

"She 'bout the mannishest woman they is," agreed Jimmy. "She got you under her thumb, Billy. I don't see what womans 're made for if you can't beg 'em into things. I would n't let no old spunky Miss Minerva get the best of me that 'way. Come on, anyhow."

"Now, I can't come," was the gloomy reply; "if she 'd jest tol' me not to, I couldn't went, but she made me promise, an' I ain't never goin' back on my word. You come over to see me."

"I can't," came the answer across the fence; "I 'm earning me a baseball mask. I done already earnt me a mitt. My mama don't never make me promise her nothing, she just pays me to be good. That 's buccome I 'm 'bout to get 'ligion and go to the mourner's bench. She 's gone up town now and if I don't go outside the yard while she 's gone, she 's going to gimme a baseball mask. You got a ball what you bring from the plantation, and I 'll have a bat and mitt and mask and we can play ball some. Come on over just a little while; you ain't earning you nothing like what I 'm doing."

"Now, I promis' her not to an' I ain't ever goin' to break my promise." "Well, then, Mr. Promiser," said Jimmy, "go get your ball and we'll throw 'cross the fence. I can't find mine."

Billy kept his few toys and playthings in a closet, which was full of old plunder. As he reached for his ball something fell at his feet from a shelf above. He picked it up, and ran excitedly into the yard.

"Look, Jimmy," he yelled, "here 's a baseball mask I found in the closet." Jimmy, suspecting of the fact that he was to be paid for staying at home, immediately rolled over the fence and ran eagerly toward his friend. They examined the article in question with great care.

"It looks peractly like a mask," announced Jimmy after a thorough inspection, "and yet it don't." He tried it on. "It don't seem to fit your face right," he said.

Sarah Jane was bearing down upon them. "Come back home dis minute, Jimmy!" she shrieked, "want to ketch some mo' contagious 'seases, don't yuh? What dat y' all got now?" As she drew nearer a smile of recognition and appreciation overspread her big good-natured face. Then she burst into a loud, derisive laugh. "What y' all gwine to do wid Miss Minerva's old bustle?" she inquired. "Y' all sho' am de contraritest chillens in dis here coperation."

"Bustle?" echoed Billy. "What 's a bustle?"

"Dat-ar 's a bustle—dat 's what 's a bustle. Ladies useto wear 'em 'cause dey so stylish to make they dresses stick out in the back. Come on home, Jimmy, 'fore yuh ketch de yaller jandis er de epizootics; yo' ma tol' yuh to stay right at home."

"Well, I 'm coming, ain't I?" scowled the little boy. "Mama need n't to know nothing 'bout you tell."

"Would you take yo' mama's present now, Jimmy?" asked Billy; "you ain't earn't it."

"Would n't you?" asked Jimmy, doubtfully.

"Now, I would n't, 'thout I tol' her." "Well, I 'll tell her I just comed over a minute to see 'bout Miss Minerva's bustle," he agreed as he again tumbled over the fence.

A little negro boy, followed by a tiny, white dog, was passing by Miss Minerva's gate.

Billy promptly flew to the gate and hailed him. Jimmy, looking around to see that Sarah Jane had gone back to the kitchen, as promptly rolled over the fence and joined him.

"Lemme see yo' dog," said the former.

"Ain't he cute?" said the latter. The little darkey picked up the dog and passed it across the gate.

"I wish he was mine," said the smaller child, as he took the soft, fluffy little ball in his arms; "what 'll you take for him?"

The negro boy had never seen the dog before, but he immediately accepted the ownership thrust upon him and answered without hesitation, "I'll take a dollar for her."

"I ain't got but a nickel. Billy, ain't you got 'nough money to put with my nickel to make a dollar?"

(To be Continued.)

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